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DECLARATION OF Motohiro IGARASI

I, Motohiro IGARASI, am the third-named inventor of the above-identified application which is the national phase of International PCT Application No. PCT/JP2003/016683 filed December 25, 2003.

It has been brought to my attention that my last name was spelled incorrectly in the International application due to an error in translation. Specifically, my last name was spelled "IGARASHI." My true and correct name is Motohiro IGARASI, which has been set forth on the Declaration, Power of Attorney and Petition filed herewith.

I declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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